

THE HONDO ANVIL HERALD.

HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, JULY 6, 1918.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Wife. Holloway Bros.
Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.
Miss Little Payne of Leakey is visiting her cousin, Miss Maude Allen.
All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R. R.
Marriage license was issued July 3 to Miss Hardcastle and Miss Alva.

Fancy fresh fruits and green vegetables, go to Barrientes or phone 200. Barrientes & Son.
M. Ballard and Miss Nora L. were granted a license to marry June 28.

W. Howard was here from Devine in the interest of his candidacy for county treasurer.
FOR SALE—Cheap, moving picture small town. Boys leaving for navy. 352, Hondo, Texas.
Don Della O'Leary, who had been visiting to her brother at Austin, returned home this week.

Forever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin Haddock for quick service. 14-15
Wm. Runkel and children of Hondo are visiting relatives and friends here this week.
J. E. Hurt and children returned last week-end from a visit to Wael.

Maude Allen returned the first week from a visit to friends in Embury alpine city, Leakey.
John Monkhouse and children of Hondo spent last Saturday Sunday here visiting relatives and friends.
Mrs. Louis Carle and baby and Mrs. Tondre and children of D'Hanis and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muenchink were here.

J. N. Coleman of Sabinal will direct services at the Church of Christ at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. 17th. The public is cordially invited to come out and hear him.
Mrs. Schmidt was here from Kingsbury on a visit to his brother, E. Schmidt, who has been somewhat indisposed for some time but is now convalescent. Mr. Schmidt was accompanied from Kingsbury by his son, John, Jr.

The dark red cow, branded Y on left side and Y on left hip, marked (left ear close to head), and left horn off. Been in my pasture several weeks. Owner can have same by paying damages, expense of keep, pastures, etc. Jack M. Fusselman. 43-m
Camp Hooks. Holloway Bros.

Charlie Monkhouse returned last week-end from quite a stay at Mineral Wells for the benefit of his health. He was greatly improved by his visit to this Mecca of the somewhat indisposed, and his physical appearance did seem to indicate that he did not overdo to any great extent while there, he apparently gaining several pounds in weight during his sojourn at the wells.

Up to Wednesday evening 167 females had taken out registration papers in Precinct No. 16, and 83 in precinct No. 1—the two voting precincts in Hondo. The registration would have been somewhat larger but for the fact that Collector Ney exhausted his supply of registration blanks. He immediately put in a requisition for an additional supply of blanks and thought he would be able to resume registration Friday morning. The ladies should be in mind that they can register up to and including July 11. After that date no more registration certificates will be issued.

Despite an honorable discharge from the navy for physical disqualification, Monkhouse is still determined to find some place in the combat forces of Uncle Sam where he can do his bit to eliminate the Hun menace from the world forever. An appeal direct to the War Department by Joe brought the assurance that should a series of examinations show him physically fit for service as a Kaiser chaser would be accepted. Joe went to Austin last Saturday and the first examination showed him to be as sound as one of the dollars in the realm. Our understanding is that he is required to take two more examinations, but there is but little doubt that he will be given a first class bill of health. Joe is trying to get into aviation service, he knowing full well that the only chance an American has of ever seeing the Kaiser is by flying far to the rear of the German fighting line.

Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.
Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.
Mitchell and Peter Schutler wagons at Eugen Hueser's. Prices right. 43
Col. W. B. Odum is hobnobbing with the politicians at Austin this week.
For service buy Good Year Tires. Citizens' Motor Car Co.

Mr. Peter Weynand and son, Robert, motored to San Antonio, Friday.
Commissioner E. H. Bruck made an appreciative call at this office yesterday.

FOR SALE—100 steers, 1's to 3's; also 100 cows. Phone 950-F 22, A. L. Haegelin, Hondo, Texas. 46-51p.
Earnest Fusselman was out from Fort Sam Houston Sunday visiting homefolks and friends.

Mrs. Dr. W. H. Smith and children are at home again after a visit to relatives and friends at Belens, New Mexico.

Mrs. Ira Schmidt is at home again after a several weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steeger, at Dallas.

Hon. W. A. Wurzbach of San Antonio addressed the people of Hondo at the court house Wednesday evening in the interest of the candidacy of Gov. Hobby.

Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.
Mr. Isaiah Hardcastle and Miss Alva Allen were married at the court house Wednesday, July 3, 1918, his honor, Judge A. M. Lamm, officiating. May their married life prove a long, happy and prosperous one is the wish of all their friends.

Mrs. Bessie Hall and children, who had been the guests of Mrs. J. H. Berry for a week, returned yesterday morning to their home at Rockport. Mrs. Berry and little son accompanied the visitors to San Antonio, where they visited their relatives at Fort Sam Houston.

Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.
Sterling Fly and Jimmie Nixon are two more of Medina county's patriotic young sons who will soon don the uniform and do their part in making the world unsafe for kaiserism. They were in Houston Tuesday and signed up with the navy. They were placed on waiting orders and as yet are unaware as to what training camp they will be assigned.

Hondo seemed to be deserted on the 4th. Our people either went to the Medina Lake to witness the entertainments for the benefit of the Red Cross, or they visited in the country. Only the restaurants and those establishments serving refreshments were open here to accommodate those who stayed at home or passed through here. The visitors to Medina Lake had a good time there indeed but wished they could have had a place to get out of the hot sun and get refreshments as offered at the cool soft drink parlors and restaurants of Hondo.

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.

18,700 Men will be drafted in July for Camp Travis.

Special to the Galv. News.

Austin, Tex., July 2.—City and county quotas for 18,700 men from Texas under the selective draft to be moved to Camp Travis, San Antonio, were completed to day. There are 8,700 white men to entrain within a five-day period beginning July 22nd, 6,000 negroes beginning July 16th, and 4,000 negroes beginning July 29th. The city of San Antonio is to furnish 163 white men.

Of the negroes to entrain beginning July 16th, the city of San Antonio is to furnish 139 and 10 beginning July 29th.

Medina County's quota is 20 white men for the date beginning July 22nd, and the quota of negroes to move July 29th, 2.

Sunday School and League Picnic

—AT—

Theodore Wiemer's Grove

JULY 18th

EVERYBODY COME

Exercises begin at 10 o'clock

Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.
Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.
Buy your Filtered gasoline from McClaugherty & Son. 25-11.
Rev. Gus Muenchink was up from Yancey yesterday.

Auto tops re-covered at Eugen Hueser's. 49

FOR SALE—a \$25 Refrigerator for \$15. Good as new. Apply at this office. 49,4

The Hondo Farm Loan Association paid off two checks this week, one for \$1,000.00 and one for \$2,400.00 to two of its members.

Mr. and Mrs. Oreeneth Fly and baby are here from San Antonio the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly and other relatives and friends.

The Olson Economy Truck Unit and a Ford Chassis makes a 1-ton Truck. For particulars write or phone Citizens Motor Car Co. 49

H. H. Crow, who for sometime past has been plying his trade as a carpenter in San Antonio, is at home for a few days visit to his family, and incidentally to nurse a sore hand.

A revival meeting of the Methodist people at Yancey is going on now with a large attendance. Rev. Gus Muenchink of New Fountain will preach there twice a day.

FOR SALE—Two Duroc Jersey pigs. Apply at Anvil Herald Office.

Mrs. Geo. Bendele and sons, George, Jr., and Robert, and daughter, Mrs. Ben Oefinger and baby, and Alvin Leinweber were Pearsall visitors Friday, and witnessed the Pearsall-Hondo base ball game.

Among those who attended the ball at Castroville on the 4th, were Misses Corinne Ney, Minnie Schwoppe, Nora Schuehle, Bettie Frerichs, Bessie and Lillian Brucks, Alma Britsch, and Messrs. Willie Frerichs, Emil and Willie Britsch, Paul Richter, Tilman Carter, Geo. Bendele, Jr., Perry Mask, W. F. Neuman and Raymond Koch.

4th of July Services.

Evening services were held at the Catholic Church on Independence Day. After the recitation of the Rosary, Rev. F. Pallanche delivered an eloquent, patriotic address. After recalling the significance of the National Holiday, he pointed out the share of members of the Catholic Church in securing Independence—after 142 years of almost uninterrupted peace our liberty, our honor has been threatened by a strong and ruthless autocracy. In answer to the challenge patriotic men have flocked to the training camps and have already covered themselves with glory on the battlefields of France. To the honor of the men who have left the parish, a Service Flag secured by the Holy Name Society, and containing 18 stars, was placed on one side of the altar.

A U. S. flag was also blessed and placed on the other side of sanctuary. Messrs. Chas. Filleman and Peter Weynand raised the flags to their position where they will remain until the men return victorious from the war.

The collection taken up will be sent to the K. of C. War Fund.

Biry Red Cross Notes.

At the request of the people of Biry Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt, Mrs. Dr. Bradley, Mrs. D. H. Fly and Rev. J. W. Long visited Biry on June 28th, and organized an Auxiliary Red Cross Society, forty-seven members being enrolled.

Albert Bilhartz was elected chairman, Mrs. A. W. Myres vice-chairman, Mrs. Mary Biry secretary, and Mr. Louis Biry treasurer.

The chairman set the next meeting for July 3rd, and on that afternoon the meeting was well attended. The following executive committee was elected: Mrs. Fred Biry, Mr. Rudolph Haass, Mr. A. W. Myres, Mrs. Albert Bilhartz and Mrs. Jack Biry.

The committee to visit the Hondo Chapter and get acquainted with the work and procure material consists of the following ladies: Mrs. A. W. Myres, Mrs. Mary Biry, Mrs. Jack Bilhartz, Mrs. Fred Biry, Mrs. Jack Biry and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

It was voted to assess members 50 cents per month. Each of the ladies present agreed to donate a hen to the benefit of the Red Cross, to be delivered at the Biry store July 11.

Mrs. J. T. Dillard donated a watermelon to the Red Cross, which was sold for \$3.10.

A nice sum of money was realized for the Red Cross on the Fourth of July at Quilhi, where various donated articles were sold at auction to the highest bidder.

Public Speaking.

The first political speaking of the present campaign was held at the auditorium Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. Robert Green and Mrs. T. A. Coleman of San Antonio addressed the ladies of Hondo and vicinity.

Mrs. Green confined her address to a discussion of woman suffrage; Mrs. Coleman was a champion of the candidacy of Gov. Hobby. Mr. Leuelien, also of San Antonio, spoke in the interest of the State University, defending that institution against the charge that it is a rich man's school, citing himself as an example that a poor man is afforded every facility for gaining an education there equal to those who are fortunate enough to have plethora of this world's goods.

At the conclusion of the speaking a Hobby club was organized and the following officers elected: President, Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Dr. Bradley; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Agnes Armstrong; 3rd Vice-President, Mrs. H. G. Henderson; Secretary, Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt.

Despite the brief notice given of the meeting the auditorium was filled to its capacity and the ladies showed great enthusiasm in their first political meeting. We understand it is their purpose to conduct a vigorous campaign for their favorites for both state and county officers.

County Court.

County court convened at the court house Monday and had disposed of the following business up to noon Wednesday:

CIVIL DOCKET.

Crit Moore vs. Dr. J. E. Beal, suit for damages for one mule (appealed from Justice Court Precinct No. 5). Plea of privilege overruled. Appealed to Fourth Court of Civil Appeals.

H. D. Roby vs. Bowman & Blatz, suit for damages. Verdict for plaintiff for \$140.00.

CRIMINAL DOCKET.

State vs. Henry Burger, Anton Burger and Alvin Mummie, fighting in public place. Dismissed as to Henry Burger and Anton Burger. Alvin Mummie tried by jury and found not guilty.

State vs. Prescalano Ramon, unlawfully carrying a pistol. Not guilty.

The jury was discharged Wednesday.

To Contest School Tax Election.

A suit styled Fritz Frerichs et al. vs. E. R. Leinweber et al., (trustees of Hondo Independent School District) was placed on the docket of the district court this week. This case grew out of the special election held in this school district June 25th when an additional maintenance tax of 15c was carried by the slim majority of one vote. The plaintiffs claim that the election is illegal, claiming some were allowed to vote who were not entitled to the ballot, and also charging other irregularities.

Withdraws From Race.

Clarence E. Winn, who was the first to announce for County Superintendent of Public Education of Medina County, authorizes the Anvil Herald to withdraw his name from the race, he having accepted a position in the school at Corsicana. He also requests this paper to express his grateful appreciation to his friends in Medina who had so loyally championed his candidacy. The withdrawal of Mr. Winn leaves but two candidates in the race for county superintendent, Mr. W. N. Saathoff, the present incumbent, and Mr. A. W. Myers of Biry.

WE BUY—Hens, Pullets, Fryers, Turkeys, Roosters. We are now on the market for all you can bring. Market prices. Phone 200. L. Barrientes. 40

These Kidney Pills Will Do You Good

Neglect is responsible for much of our ill-health. Prompt treatment results in relief—not only from the minor ailments but from the resulting complications. If you value permanent good health you cannot afford to neglect the slightest trace of kidney weakness—the important duty of filtering the blood—cleansing the system of impurities, falls upon the kidneys—they require constant attention and demand it—they must be satisfied. If they fail in their duty the certain result is impure blood, loss of all nourishment, and a poisoned system. Don't allow it to go that far—Nyal's Kidney Pills insure certain action of the kidneys—rich red blood and the proper nourishment.

They are not a "cure all"—just a kidney medicine—one that we personally recommend. Fifty cents the box. When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal's Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market, and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

W. H. WINDROW
Prescription Druggist

BUILD YOUR HOUSE FROM LUMBER

bought here and thus insure permanent satisfaction and freedom from the many repair bills that always follow the use of poor or unseasoned lumber. Better try our lumber and be done with it than to buy poorer and then be continually paying for repairs. The best is always the cheap est.

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And You are only asked to save and not waste Food



When You Get Ready to Build or Repair Anything

Come in and talk the matter over with us before buying your lumber elsewhere. We are here to serve you—to be so useful to you that YOU GET THE HABIT of sending to us for all of your Building Material, Brick, Iron Roofing, Paints, Etc. Hondo Lumber Company, Incorporated.

THE

First National Bank

HONDO, TEXAS

Capital \$50,000.00 Surplus \$22,000.00

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| J. M. FINGER | President |
| ED. DE MONTEL | Vice-President |
| JOE FOHN | Vice-President |
| HORACE BRADLEY | Cashier |
| CHAS. FINGER | Ass't. Cashier |

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No More Gas on the Stomach or Sour Stomach! No More Heavy Feeling After Meals or Constipation!

If you have sour stomach, constipation or gas on the stomach ONE SPOONFUL simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika, will bring you INSTANT relief.

Adler-ika draws all the old foul matter from the system leaving the bowels and stomach fresh and CLEAN, ready to digest anything. Guards against appendicitis.

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Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.
Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.
Phone 37 for special auto livery.
McLaugherty & Son. 26-11

Economize on rubber! Let us vulcanize your tubes and tires at saving prices. Citizens Motor Car Co. 49

Mrs. Geo. W. Jones left on Thursday evening for San Antonio where she will make her home for a while at least, at 1124 Main Avenue.

Rev. Mr. Woods, after a brief visit to Mrs. Ella Woods and family returned to his home at Cotulla the middle of the week.

We buy all kinds of second hand sacks. Ask us for prices. L. Barrientes & Son. 37

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendels. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-11

Mrs. J. Arthur Williamson left Wednesday for San Antonio where she will be the guest of relatives for about ten days.

Miss Maude Allen, one of our telephone operators, returned from her vacation which she spent visiting friends and relatives at Leakey and Rock Springs.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Mrs. W. W. Walker and children, who have been here on a visit to Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung, left on their return to their home at Austin Wednesday.

C. R. Gaines, distributor for Goodyear, Racine and U. S. Tires and Columbia Dry Cell Batteries. Prices guaranteed. 14

Always a fresh supply of Goodyear Tires, Accessories and Columbia Batteries in stock. Quality first, price last. Citizens Motor Car Co.

Mrs. Roland Chancey went to San Marcos Tuesday to meet her brother, Wesley McLaugherty of Camp Bowie, who was there visiting relatives. Wesley thinks it probable that he will be ordered across before a great while.

FOUND!—in my pasture, a bay mare; black mane and tail; about 14 hands high. No brand, a scar above both knees, and a collar mark on left shoulder. Owner can recover same by paying expenses. R. W. Wilson, 45,4t Yancey, Texas.

Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.

To Kill Blue Bugs and Stick Tight Fleas. Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer fed to chickens will kill these bugs. To kill Screw Worms use Martin's Screw Worm Killer. You will be satisfied with results. For Sale by W. H. WINDROW. 45,8t

Anyone that thinks Mr. R. H. Hudspeth can't dance the Highland Fling has got another think coming. But under similar circumstances it is probable most anyone of us would make a reputation for high kicking, the preacher not excepted. Mr. Hudspeth and Mr. M. A. Chancey were in the corn patch of the former one day this week gathering a few roasting ears. While thus engaged Mr. Hudspeth glanced down and discovered that a big rattlesnake had him by the trousers leg. And right then the dance began, and despite the vigorous high-kicking his snakeship stayed in the game for sometime before his hold broke. The hands on the farm think they will get most of the corn that was broke down during the time the dance was going on straightened before gathering time. Also we understand that, while Mr. Hudspeth is a member of a church that taboos dancing, no action against him will be taken as it is the general consensus of opinion that the antics cut by him were mild to what they would have been had some other of his church members been similarly situated. The fangs of the snake did not penetrate Mr. Hudspeth's leg, and outside of the scare no harm resulted from the encounter. The two gentlemen followed the biblical injunction and "bruised the serpent's head."

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.
Reap Hooks. Holloway Bros.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Musman, July 5, 1918, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nietenhoef are entertaining a new boy, born July 1, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters of San Antonio were the guests of relatives here this week.

Miss Octavia Davis accompanied Mrs. C. P. Watters home to San Antonio yesterday.

Little Miss Annie Davis went to Castrolville yesterday where she will visit here cousin, Miss Florence Scherrer, for a few days.

Mrs. Fannie Redus, sister, and Mrs. Crawford, niece, both of Devine, are here with Mrs. Goza who has been somewhat indisposed for several days but is convalescent now.

The following people of Medina county are members of the Limit Club. Let others follow the example of these and buy \$1,000 worth of War Savings Stamps and become members also: Julius Steinhardt, F. M. Posey, E. R. Leinweber, E. W. Lacy, Joe Decker, D. W. Short, C. J. Bleser, Geo. Muenink, Mrs. F. S. Cockrell, Jack Reilly, Mr. Butts, Mrs. Emma Routh, C. W. Gihnam and Mrs. Ella Woods. We have been promised a list of those who subscribed for War Savings Stamps and the amount pledged, for publication at an early date.

The Fourth in Hondo was very quiet. All the business houses remained closed throughout the day, all of our people who could possibly do so going up to the Medina Lake for the regatta and other festivities scheduled for the day. Those who could not go contented themselves by remaining quietly at home or seeking some shady spot not far out in the country to while away the time.

Lutheran Church Notes.

The little daughter of Mr. Ernest Hartmann and wife, nee Louise Bohmfalk, was baptized last Sunday, June 30th, and named Adella Lina. The girl was born Nov. 3, 1917.

The little son of Mr. Joseph Wernette and wife, nee Bertha Breiten, was baptized last Sunday, June 30th, and named Oscar Louis Joseph Wernette. The boy was born March 23, 1918. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bilhartz.

Services begin at 10:00 a. m. every Sunday.

Senior Epworth League.

July 7, 4 p. m.
Leader, Miss Gladys Newton.
Subject, "All for Christ", 1st Abilities.

Sentence prayers.
Scripture, Matt. XXV, 14-30.
Song.
Prayer.
Talk by leader.
Talk, "Using Our Words", Miss Lucile Woods.

Prayer, that we may use all of our abilities for the Lord.
Talk, "Using Our All", Mr. Sterling Fly.

Song.
Announcements.
League Benediction.

Player Piano Bargain

We have in this locality a very fine \$600 Player Piano in perfect condition. Rather than ship it back we will sacrifice and accept cash or Liberty Bonds.

MAYOR PIANO COMPANY
San Antonio, Texas

Quihi Notes.

July 5, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schweers and Misses Hilda, Lizzie and Lilly Schweers of Hondo, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fuos and Otto Balzen, of Sturm Hill, were up on a fishing trip to Medina Lake a few days last week.

H. H. Saathoff, H. J. Boehle and Walter Brucks made a flying trip to Hondo Friday evening.

Most of the people of here attended the W. S. S. Meeting at the New Fountain High School Friday afternoon.

Alfred, Ernest, Frank and Edwin Boehle and Walter Brucks made a fishing trip to Medina Lake two days last week. They returned with a world of fish.

Henry Schuehle of Sturm Hill passed by here Saturday en route to Hondo.

H. H. Saathoff, O. A. Grell, H. I. and Emil Boehle made a pleasure trip to Red Wing Sunday afternoon.

H. J. Loerberg and Ernest Boehle made a business trip to Hondo Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Balzen is visiting home-folks at Converse this week.

Dom. Riff filled up his new Silo last week.

Farmers around here are busy cutting corn fodder this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Saathoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Boehle and family of Green Hill visited here Sunday.

E. A. Balzen and H. J. Boehle made a pleasure trip to Hondo Wednesday afternoon.

T. A. Forst of Hondo passed by here en route to Riomedina Wednesday evening to celebrate the Fourth of July at Medina Lake.

Ernest Grell made a trip to Hondo Thursday morning.

The Red Cross Picnic at the Quihi Gun Club grounds was well attended.

Harry Breiten of San Antonio is visiting relatives and friends here.

Come over to the Quihi Gun Club meeting Sunday, July 7th.

TWIN SISTERS.

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

Tells how to loosen a tender corn or callus so it lifts off without pain.

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn or callus the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn or callus, root and all, lifts off with the fingers.

Freezone dries the moment it is applied, and simply shrivels the corn or callus without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but will positively rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or hardened callus. If you druggist hasn't any freezone he can get it at any wholesale drug house for you

Program Junior League.

July 7, 1918.

Leader, Will Ernest Newton.
Subject, Christian Soldiers.
Song, Onward Christian Soldiers, by the boys.

The boys repeat together 1st Cor. 16, 13.

Bible reading by leader, 2 Timothy, II, 3, 4.

Song, Evelyn Wilson, Hettie Stiegler.

Our 4th of July, by leader and Chan- cey King, Murray Dilworth, Homer King, George Windrow, Wesley Saathoff, Wesley Leinweber and Leslie Stiegler.

Song, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross".

Benediction.

Weather Report

For month of June, 1918, for Hondo Texas.

Total rainfall, 0.65 inch. Since Jan. 1st, 9.35 inches.

Temperature: highest, 105 degrees F. on 20th; lowest 65 on the 14th.

4 rainy days, 23 clear, 7 part cloudy; thunderstorm on 11th.

H. E. HAASS,
Vol. Obs. U. S. W. B.

WOMAN'S STATEMENT WILL HELP HONDO.

"I hated cooking because whatever I ate gave me sour stomach and a bloated feeling. I drank hot water and olive oil by the gallon. Nothing helped until I tried simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-ika." Because it flushes the ENTIRE bowel tract completely Adler-ika relieves ANY CASE sour stomach, gas or constipation and prevents appendicitis. The INSTANT action is surprising. For sale at Martin Drug Co. 5

Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.

For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness

Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-FOSS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Parls Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic.

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Official Statement of the Financial Condition of

THE HONDO STATE BANK

at Hondo, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 29th day of June, 1918, published in the Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 6th day of July, 1918.

RESOURCES

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| Loans and discounts, personal or collateral | \$109,352.34 |
| Loans, real estate | 4,650.60 |
| Overdrafts | 1,054.89 |
| Bonds and Stocks | 6,000.00 |
| Real estate (banking house) | 6,000.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 1,800.00 |
| Due from approved reserve agents, net | 8,274.66 |
| Cash items | 2,100.35 |
| Currency | 7,950.00 |
| Specie | 5,353.53 |
| Interest and Assessment Depositors' guaranty fund | 3,678.47 |
| | \$156,214.84 |

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock paid in | \$ 30,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 10,250.00 |
| Undivided profits, net | 8,554.21 |
| Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net | 645.79 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 106,764.84 |
| | \$156,214.84 |

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina } We, E. R. Leinweber as president, and J. R. Chancey as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. R. LEINWEBER, President.
J. R. CHANCEY, Asst. Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of July, A. D. 1918.

AUG. HORNUNG,
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.
Correct—Attest:

WM. A. SCHMITT,
P. JUNGMAN, JR.,
CLAUDE W. GILLIAM,
Directors.

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children, of all ages and for grown-ups.

Moved.

I have moved my office from the Leinweber building to my residence, north on same street. Look for optometrist's sign over gate.

J. H. PLUCK, Optometrist.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic

destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60c.

Passenger Train Schedules at Hondo, Texas.

| EAST BOUND | |
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| No. 228 (Jitney) due | 4:50 a.m. |
| No. 102 due | 9:10 a.m. |
| (No stop between Hondo and San Antonio.) | |
| No. 10 due | 6:43 p.m. |
| WEST BOUND | |
| No. 227 (Jitney) due | 1:10 a.m. |
| No. 101 due | 3:00p. m. |
| (Stops at Hondo, Sabinal, Uvalde, Spofford and Del Rio.) | |
| No. 9 due | 9:42 p.m. |
| Trains Nos. 7 and 8 are discontinued. | |

A Matter of Business

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Our Castroville Page

Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JULY 3, 1918

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

For business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday of each week.

L. W. Burell was at Devine Sunday on business bound.

Mrs. O. H. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Schuehle and Mrs. Robert H. Hondo, spent last Sunday at Hondo.

M. M. McFarland of Alpine here at the Public School house Sunday evening in behalf of his nomination for senator of this district.

C. R. Gaines, Ed. Callahan and Taylor, of Hondo, were Castroville visitors Thursday.

Otto Schmitt was awarded the right to carry the Riomedina-Castroville mail and starts on his trip July 1st.

Mrs. Joe Ney of Hondo were visitors Sunday.

John Stricker and daughter, Della, of San Antonio arrived in Castroville Sunday on a several days visit to relatives and friends.

Stein and family of Cliff were here one day this week.

Mrs. Frank Haby and two sons of Dunlap spent Sunday here.

J. Arthur Williamson and little Montel, returned to Hondo the first of the week after a two week's visit to relatives here.

Mrs. J. C. Cobb were out on Sunday.

Tschirhart was here from San Antonio Sunday.

Haller of Camp Bowie spent Sunday here visiting his father.

Mrs. Edwin Bendele of visited here this week.

Lucille Tschirhart is in San Antonio for a lengthy stay.

Mrs. Adolph Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Burger and son, of Dunlap, were Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Haby and Paul of Riomedina were shopping here Sunday.

Keller was here from Lacoste Sunday.

Burrell and family of Yellow visited in Castroville Sunday.

Haegelin and son, Otto, were visitors Friday.

Mrs. Henry Weyand and son of D'Hanis spent the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rihn family.

Mrs. George Mangold of San Antonio and Mr. Anton Mangold of Ft. Worth were guests of Mr. Ed. Bohl Sunday.

Mrs. John Stricker and family of San Antonio were guests of Mrs. Weyand and family here Sunday.

Wurzbech was here from Riomedina Saturday.

Mrs. Henry J. Schott and of Devine spent Sunday here.

Wurzbech and family spent Sunday at Benton with Mr. and Mrs. Bippert.

Florence Biediger spent the week at Riomedina.

Louis P. Haby and Miss Ada of Riomedina, were shopping Tuesday.

Alice Rihn spent the week in San Antonio.

James Joe Hans and children and Keller and children, of Lacoste, were Sunday here.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach Trouble.

After doctoring for about twelve years for a bad stomach trouble, and paying nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctor's fees, I purchased my wife one box of Chamberlain's Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than the medicine I bought before.

W. B. BOYER, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by all dealers.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Joe Allen came home Saturday from Hondo and returned Sunday.

Anna Lyell came home from Hondo Friday and returned to Hondo Saturday.

Jackson and wife from Midland, Texas, have moved to the Jeff Jackson's house. Mr. Frank Jackson and wife from D'Hanis are here visiting.

Louise Gibbons is visiting relatives at Hondo.

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Mothers of Texas, Prepare!

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, and when a woman passes through the changes of middle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances. Many women in Texas would testify just as do the following:

HOUSTON HEIGHTS, TEXAS. — "My mother used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. She was in very ill health, was all run down and it seemed like she could not get anything to do her any good until she took this medicine. It did her more good than anything she tried and I am always willing to recommend it to friends who need a fine tonic." — MRS. JULIA STINSON.

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not a secret remedy for all the ingredients are printed on the wrapper.

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THE SUPPLY OF MILK IS INCREASING

QUANTITIES FOR FOREIGN USE BEING CONDENSED.

Consumption of Milk, Especially in Large Cities, Is Decreasing—Much Cheese in Storage.

Of the milk produced in the United States, 40 per cent is now used as fluid milk; 40 per cent goes into the making of butter, and the other 20 per cent into the making of condensed milk, cheese, ice cream and so forth.

The condensing facilities of the country, owing to the foreign demands, have more than doubled in the past two years. While this is a desirable result, unfortunately, at the present time, the allocation of shipping for export given to this production is only about one-third the manufacturing capacity. The exports last year jumped 100,000,000 pounds, reaching a total of 259,000,000 pounds.

Figures recently obtained by the United States department of agriculture show an increase of 390,000 head in all milk cows of the country in the last year. While the increase is small, the fact that there was any increase at all is taken as a very helpful sign for the future. The increase of heifer calves, between the ages of 1 and 2 years, totals 1,185,000, and this speaks well for future production of milk.

Storage figures indicate a rather large supply of cheese in this country. However, the allied countries have purchased very largely of this stock, but have, as yet, been unable to transport it. The available supply of cheese, therefore, is really considerably less than is indicated by these figures.

With a slightly increased milk production, there has been a rather notable decrease in consumption. This is especially true of the larger centers of population where the increase in price over last summer averages over 40 per cent to 45 per cent. One of the first reactions of the increased price in some of the larger cities was an immediate decrease in consumption, and this still remains materially below normal.

Notice, Women Voters.

We are requested by Tax Collector Joe Ney to state that Registration Blanks for registering women voters for the July primary will be in his office from June 26th to July 12th inclusive. All women desiring to vote in the July primary should call at his office without delay and register as required by the law.

Mrs. Peavish says it has just about gotten so in her neighborhood that when she asks the driver for a nickel's worth of ice she gets a cold stare.

Gas Mask Instruction.

The Galveston Daily News gives the following interesting details about the gas masks:

Many Galvestonians have been somewhat surprised on various afternoons during the past two weeks on witnessing companies of infantrymen marching through their streets with each doughboy's head encased in a large American Gas helmet of the type now being used by the United States troops "over there". For almost a month the soldiers of the third battalion of the Nineteenth Infantry have been put through most of the experiences with gas that come to the soldier on the front in France.

One afternoon the commanding officer gave the order to remove the masks from the sack where they are continually worn on the chest while the men are on the front. Each of the movements made in removing the helmets from their case and placing them in "gas attack" position are according to a standard fixed with a view to performing the change in a minimum of time. This process must be completed by every man in the army in not more than 6 seconds after the order is given.

After the men had got their helmets on the officer brought the company to attention and gave the order "Squads right". The result of this command was far from the military precision upon which the Nineteenth prides itself. The men were unaccustomed to wearing the helmets and found difficulty in seeing, with the result that many of them executed the ordered movement far out of line.

"Don't go to the left when you are given 'squads right', just because you're wearing helmets," the officer shouted. Considerable laughter emanated from other infantrymen watching helmeted comrades. In a few seconds the men became familiarized with their new headgear, and the period of confusion came to an end.

Practically the same conditions as exist on the western front during a gas attack were brought about at Menard Park by erecting an airtight tent and turning the deadly gasses loose inside. Each man in the Nineteenth had to go through this tent wearing his helmet. All of the masks were in excellent condition and no casualties resulted. In other camps men have been slightly gassed while undergoing this part of their training, due to leaky helmets, according to Major Penrose, who has conducted the gas instruction work in many camps and cantonments in the South.

Major Penrose uses only the recently improved American gas masks in practice work with the enlisted men, but he has with him French, English and German Gas masks, and explains the workings of each, and compares them to the American helmets, in one of his lectures. The French helmet consists simply of a headpiece and does not have a "tranches" tube and chemical tank as have the American instrument. Air enters and leaves the French helmets through its outer covering, and the incoming fumes are neutralized by chemicals which saturate the pads within the helmet. One of the disadvantages of the mask used by the poilu, is that gas is liable to enter the breathing compartment through the sides around the temples. Another drawback is the fact that the exhaled breath comes in contact with the lenses over the eyes and clouds them, particularly in cold weather. The American helmets have overcome both of these difficulties. Neither the incoming or exhaled air enters the compartment of the mask protecting the upper part of the head. The inhaled air must enter the canister tank, which is filled with a sufficient variety of chemicals to neutralize every known gas, and come to the mouth through a long tube made of tough canvas. The exhaled breath goes through a flutter valve of rubber tubing. When the soldier inhales the flutter valve automatically closes, and when he exhales the intake valve closes, so that no gases may enter the mask without having passed through the canister tank.

All of the men in the fighting zone keep their masks with them at all times when they are within three miles of the front trenches, Major Penrose says. Gas can carry that distance under ideal gas attack weather with deadly effect. The men carry the mask in what is known as the "gas alert" position. At this position the mask is worn hanging around the soldiers' neck and rests in the container on their chests. The containing sack is worn with the top unfastened.

Doing Good.

Few medicines have met with more favor or accomplished more good than Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. John F. Jantzen, Delmeny, Sask., says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy myself and in my family, and can recommend it as being an exceptionally fine preparation."

HOW TO REGISTER TO VOTE.

Below will be found a copy of the certificate the ladies will have to fill out when registering to vote in the July primary. In the first blank write your name (using your own given name and not that of husband, if married). For example: "Mrs. Sallie Dow," instead of "Mrs. William Dow." In the blank space for color, white or black, give your race, if white, as Caucasian; if black, as negro or African; in blank following the word "occupation," if married write "housewife;" if single insert in the space whatever the applicant does for a livelihood; in the blank following "residence" give your postoffice; "voting precinct," the registering officer will tell you the number of your voting precinct. The purpose of the other blank spaces are so apparent that one can hardly make a mistake, but if any one is in doubt the registering officer will give the desired information. When the blanks are all filled sign your name on the blank line at the bottom the same as on the first blank at the top. The number will be filled in by the registering officer.

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occupation, residence, voting

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(Signed)

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costs but a few cents, and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe all the next day like violent calomel.

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If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you

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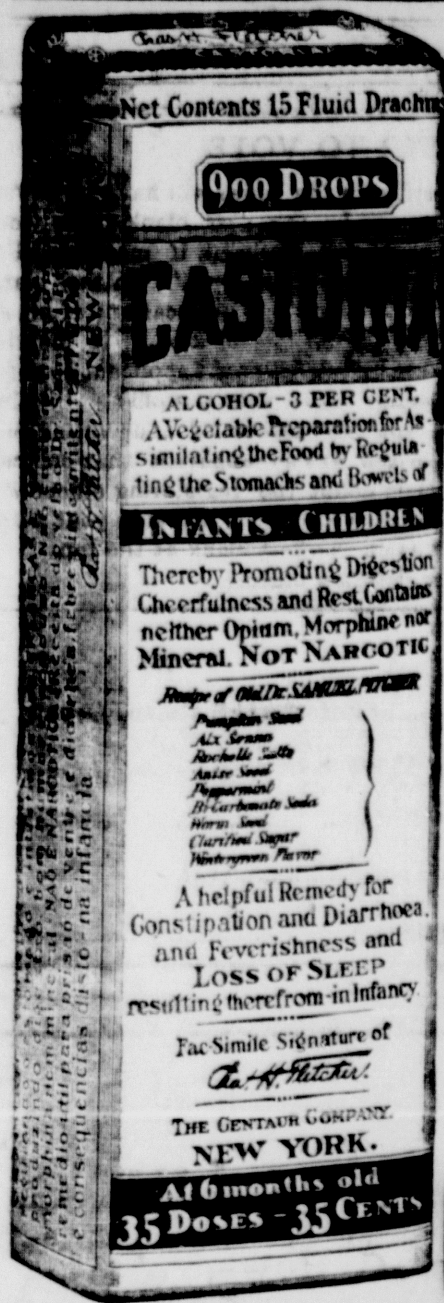
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**REMEMBER, GARBAGE IS
VALUABLE. KEEP
IT CLEAN!**

COUNTRY STORE POULTRY DEALERS MUST HAVE LICENSES.

The Food Administration issues the following:

The president's proclamation of May 14, requiring the licensing of those engaged in certain lines of business, including "operators of poultry and egg packing plants not already licensed by the United States Food Administration," has been misunderstood by some of those affected.

Under this classification anyone who sells poultry or eggs in any other way than at retail to the consumer, regardless of the amount of business done, must be licensed.

There are many country storekeepers whose business is mostly retail selling, but who buy eggs and sometimes poultry from the farmers. They have never considered themselves as operators of poultry and egg packing plants, but, in reality, that is what they are. The fact that they are in the retail business on too small a scale to require a retailer's license does not exclude them.

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OLD TOMBS OF PATRIARCHS

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The tombs of the patriarchs in Jerusalem, the cave of Machpelah, which Abraham bought for "a possession of a burying place," is still in existence. For forty centuries it withstood the ravages of time and men, relates a writer.

It is situated in the town of Hebron, 16 miles south-southwest of Jerusalem, and sheltered from profanation by a Mahometan mosque that rises above it. The tomb contains the whole patriarchal family, with the exception of Rachel. The cave is divided into an upper and a lower compartment. Only the upper compartment is accessible to the priest in charge of the mosque, but he only enters it in times of great calamity, and for the sole purpose of praying. As to the lower compartment, where repose the illustrious fathers of the Jewish nation, they remained completely closed until the year 1862, when, for the first time, King Edward VII, then the prince of Wales, together with Doctor Stanley, the dean of Westminster Abbey, and two other friends, were granted admission.

The six tombs are arranged symmetrically in rows of two; a seventh, in the wall, is believed to belong to Joseph. Abraham's tomb, which has the form of a coffin with a shelving ridge, is about eight feet high, and is set in the cemented stone and marble. It is covered with three gold embroidered green carpets, which are the gifts of the emperor of Constantinople, Mahomet II, the conqueror of Egypt, Selim II, and the Sultan Abdul Medjid.

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Courtesy Was Wasted.
There is such a thing as wasted courtesy and one encounters it almost every day in the crowded subway or elevated trains, observes a New York correspondent. Recently a man was riding in a jammed train and when it stopped at the Forty-second street station there was an inrush of passengers. Among them was a richly dressed woman, who led a boy of about ten by the hand. She stood before a chivalrous-looking man who occupied a seat. With a touch of his hat he arose to give the woman his seat, when the boy broke loose from her and jumped into the vacant seat. The woman made no attempt to take the seat for herself and remained standing. What was worse, she made not the slightest acknowledgment of the man's courtesy.

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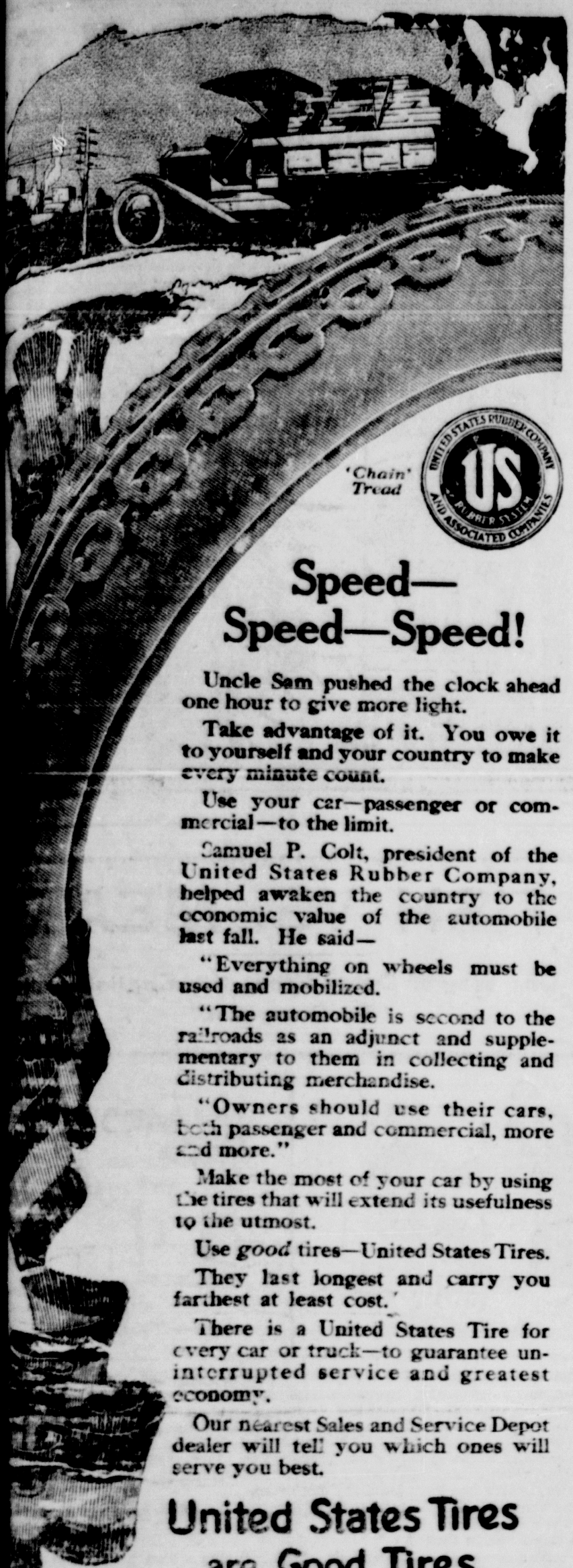
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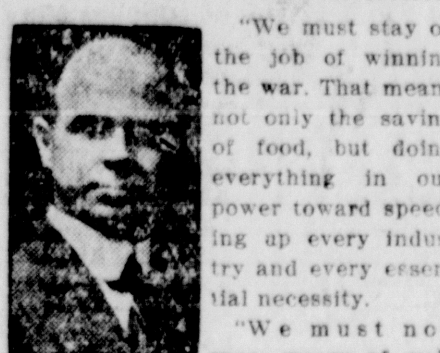


United States Tires are Good Tires

Uncle Sam pushed the clock ahead one hour to give more light. Take advantage of it. You owe it to yourself and your country to make every minute count. Use your car—passenger or commercial—to the limit. Samuel P. Colt, president of the United States Rubber Company, helped awaken the country to the economic value of the automobile last fall. He said— "Everything on wheels must be used and mobilized. "The automobile is second to the railroads as an adjunct and supplementary to them in collecting and distributing merchandise. "Owners should use their cars, both passenger and commercial, more and more." Make the most of your car by using the tires that will extend its usefulness to the utmost. Use good tires—United States Tires. They last longest and carry you farthest at least cost. There is a United States Tire for every car or truck—to guarantee uninterrupted service and greatest economy. Our nearest Sales and Service Depot dealer will tell you which ones will serve you best.

STAY ON THE JOB OF WINNING THE WAR AND SPEED UP

Address of Administrator Peden Before Texas Commercial Executives at San Antonio.



E. A. PEDEN, doing. We must realize that we are all enlisted for the period of the war, and it is just as unpatriotic for a civilian to fall back when he receives orders to help the government as it would be for a soldier to quit when he is told to go over the top.

This was the message that Food Administrator E. A. Peden of Houston had for the people of San Antonio when he came to the city to attend the joint meeting of the Texas Commercial Executives' Association and the League of Texas Municipalities.

"Whoever," he declared, "is so selfish as not to deny himself, might just as well be reaching with a long arm across the ocean and taking food away from some poor emaciated human being there—or from his own soldier son.

I can not forbear also to impress upon you the great, urgent necessity—and the great help—civilians can render in this war by just being cheerful. That means going about your work every day, every hour, with a heart for it, knowing that by it more efficient and better work can be done, the morale of others held up, as well as the morale of our soldiers.

"A third important matter, and one of the largest, is: 'Learn to do what the government says do, and speed up on it.' I can not do better than give you an illustration to show what I mean by this. When the great Schwab moved from Washington to Philadelphia to be nearer his job of war-time shipbuilding, an officer came to him with a blue print from government officials. Here and there changes had been made.

"Who made these changes?" queried Mr. Schwab. "Said the army officer: 'It was done locally, as we thought this would suit conditions better.' "You're fired," declared Schwab. The officer protested that he could not be fired by a civilian.

"Be that as it may," responded the ship supervisor, "you're fired just the same. It's our business here to build the ships like the government has specified they shall be built, and nobody has a right to stick a finger in and delay the program. These ships are going to be built just as the government has set forth in these blue prints—and no other way."

"And they are being built just that way," emphasized Mr. Peden. "And the sooner we apply this rule to our own directions in helping to win the war, the sooner it is going to be over. When an order comes from Washington to save this, that or the other food, or put over some war fund campaign, let us not stop to haggle over minor details—let's do it. Let's get the habit of doing it—and doing it speedily."

Coming down to the actual details of the work of the food administration, Mr. Peden said that it had very much stabilized and lowered prices since being inaugurated, and he thanked the heads of Chambers of Commerce throughout Texas for the aid they had rendered him in his task of applying the food laws to the State.

"When the order first came to get busy," he said, "I spent considerable time trying to figure out just who to ask to help me out in this big work for Uncle Sam. After eliminating various classes of people in many vocations, I finally decided that it was the commercial secretaries of the State who could probably lend me the most aid. For I wanted aid that would be persistent, permanent, and that would not grow weary after a short time. Besides they were men trained to deal with the public. As a consequence most of my commercial secretaries are either county or district administrators, and I have not been disappointed in one of you."

He urged the necessity of the public paying more attention—as well as the merchants—to the rules of the price interpreting committee. "You should take scissors or a knife and cut them out whenever they are printed, and carry them with you when you go shopping. These prices are based on good, fair returns to the merchant, and they should be absolutely insisted upon."

"While Texas has been a banner State, so far as the conservation of wheat and other food products is concerned, I hand the greatest amount of credit to the people themselves, who have done it by their loyalty to the cause. There, of course, have been a few who have been disloyal, but these very few have been punished—and rightly—in order that one man might not profit because all his neighbors wanted to help win the war."

"In some instances I have observed cases of men who have grown discouraged over one thing or another—or over a blue outlook for their businesses. And I always say to them: 'Brace up—if the kaiser could see you now it would please him. That's just what he wants to see—discouragement.' And in every case these men have gone back with their teeth set to do bigger, better, harder, more persistent work."

"My greatest wish is that after the war these lessons we Americans have learned of how to keep down speculation, to conserve, and to be thrifty shall remain as part of the life of our people for good and for all time."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rates—Cash in Advance. District office, \$10.00. County office, \$5.00. Precinct office, \$2.50.

For State Senator. We are authorized to announce HON. R. M. DUDLEY as a candidate for State Senator from the 25th senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

We are authorized to announce HON. M. M. McFARLAND as a candidate for State Senator from the 25th senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

For District Clerk. Thanking the voters of Medina County for their kind support in the past years, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the District Court, at the general election next November, AUGUST KEMPF.

For County Superintendent. I am a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County of the State of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election of July 27, 1918. I have taught twelve years in Medina County. Your support solicited. A. W. MYERS.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence placed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County, Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary Election of July 27, 1918. W. N. SAATHOFF.

For County Attorney. We are authorized to announce HON. G. C. MORRIS as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, Texas, subject to the general election in November.

For County Treasurer. Thanking the voters for past favors and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 27, 1918. JACK J. DROTCOURT.

Thanking all my friends who supported me in the 1914 election, and responding to the wishes of my friends I now again announce as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County at the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 27, 1918, and will appreciate the vote, support and influence of the voters of Medina County. Respectfully, EMIL BRITSCH.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. HOWARD as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1918. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

For Tax Assessor. Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence reposed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1918. LOU E. HEATH.

For Tax Collector. Thanking you for the generous support heretofore extended me, and again soliciting your kind consideration, I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County at the approaching November election. Very respectfully, JOE NEY.

We are authorized to announce J. H. MILLER as a candidate for election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For Sheriff. We are authorized to announce J. W. CRUTCHFIELD as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, subject to the action of the voters at the July Primaries.

We are authorized to announce J. F. BADER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the general election in November.

For County Judge. In publishing this, my announcement, as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina County, at the coming Democratic Primary Election, July 27, 1918, I wish to thank the citizenship of this county for their highly appreciated friendship and support during the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill said office to the very best of my ability. Respectfully, R. J. NOONAN.

For County Clerk. We are authorized to announce S. A. JUNGMAN as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County, subject to the action of the voters at the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1918.

For Justice of the Peace. We are authorized to announce A. M. LAMM as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher. We are authorized to announce A. A. BADER as a candidate for election to the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. To the voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1 of Medina County: Thanking you for past favors, and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Medina County, subject to November election. Respectfully, B. H. BRUCKS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3. In again announcing myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, I wish to thank the citizenship of this precinct for their highly appreciated friendship and support in the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill the office to the best of my ability. Respectfully, J. B. NEY.

For Constable Precinct No. 1. We are authorized to announce HENRY MOORE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the approaching November election.

Let Edwin F. Bendele put up your windmills and gasoline engines. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-17 Machine hemstitching and piccadilly. 10c per yard. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38-6m.

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The First National Bank

of Hondo at Hondo, in the State of Texas

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 29, 1918

RESOURCES

| | | |
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| 1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown on b and c) | \$215,367.67 | |
| Total loans | 215,367.67 | |
| d Notes and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold (see Item 57a)) | 9,109.00 | \$296,258.67 |
| 2. Overdrafts—secured, None; unsecured, \$139.56 | | 139.56 |
| 5. U. S. Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness: | | |
| a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | 50,000.00 | 50,000.00 |
| 6. LIBERTY LOAN BONDS: | | |
| a Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged. | 8,000.00 | |
| c Payments actually made on Liberty 4 1/2 per cent Bonds (Third Liberty Loan) | 2,000.00 | 10,000.00 |
| 9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) | | 2,200.00 |
| 10. a Value of Banking house. | | 5,000.00 |
| 13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank | | 19,589.83 |
| 15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from National Banks. | | 35,359.47 |
| 16. Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, and 15 | | 445.65 |
| Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 | 35,984.51 | |
| 19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items | | 179.19 |
| 20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 2,900.00 |
| 22. War Saving Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned | | 5.11 |
| Total. | | \$332,077.48 |

LIABILITIES

| | | |
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| 24. Capital stock paid in | \$50,000.00 | |
| 25. Surplus fund | | 22,000.00 |
| 26. a Undivided profits | 1,120.17 | 1,120.17 |
| 30. Circulating notes outstanding | | 50,000.00 |
| 32. Net amounts Due to National Banks | | 433.37 |
| Total of items 32 and 33 | 433.37 | |
| Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): | | |
| 34. Individual deposits subject to check | 203,498.12 | |
| 37. Cashier's checks outstanding | | 25.82 |
| 40. Dividends unpaid | | 5,000.00 |
| Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41 | 208,523.94 | |
| TOTAL | | \$332,077.48 |

57. a Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d)

Total contingent liabilities (57 a, b, and c)

State of Texas, County of Medina, ss:

I, Horace Bradley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORACE BRADLEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1918.

A. M. LAMM, J. P., and ex-officio Notary Public in and for Medina county, Texas.

Correct—Attest: ED. DE MONTEL, AUGUST KEMPF, J. M. FINGER, Directors

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:

R. R. McAnelly, Administrator of the Estate of P. E. McAnelly, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said P. E. McAnelly, deceased, numbered 113, on the Probate Docket of Medina County, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You are hereby Commanded, That by publication of this writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Medina you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do on or before the July Term, 1918, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, on the first day in July, A. D. 1918, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and Seal of said Court, at my office in Hondo, Texas, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1918. J. L. S. S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk, County Court Medina Co.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands. J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County

No Worms in a Healthy Child. All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

If you have the itch, don't scratch. It does not cure the trouble and makes the skin bleed. Apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. Rub it in gently on the affected parts. It relieves itching instantly and a few applications remove the cause thus performing a permanent cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Extra Fancy Orbits at 75c. per crate of 50 p. ad. ring your sacks. L. Barrientes. 46-11

NIGHT SHADOWS IN RUSSIA. Penetrating Light Makes Sleep Impossible Unless the Traveler Carries a Blue Curtain.

The particular journey herein recorded fell on a white night in June—one of those eerie white nights against which the Russian or Siberian traveler carries a canny blue curtain. Olive Glibbreath writes in the Yale Review.

Without these blue guards sleep is out of the question and the senses, pursued by the penetrating light, are as ragged as the beggars staring out of the stations. Verst after verst, hour after hour, the plain unfolds endlessly, monotonously, like wool from a skein. A pale incandescence hangs over the earth, fringing objects ghostly. Trees blur in the half-light and grow phenomenally large; izbas and windmills scrape the sky. A tremor of primitive terror runs through one's limbs. One calls to the hills for deliverance—but there is not even a rise in the ground! With midnight springs up a delusive promise of respite from the light; a shadow creeps reassuringly over the earth, but it is dusk and not darkness. There is no reprieve. At 11 the sun dips below the horizon; at 2:30 it balances again like a replenished bag, spilling its orange and amethyst flood over the earth. The restless cycle has begun again, and still the plain unfolds endlessly, monotonously—brightly now. At seven, one reaches Nizhnynogorod. If it is June, the sun has been up five hours.

Fat Beauties. Throughout the empire of Morocco and in Tunis there are villages where the elder members of the adult population follow professionally the pursuit of fattening young ladies for the matrimonial market of the Barbary.

The Moors, like the Turks and most other Orientals, give a decided preference to "moon-faced" wives over lean ones, and are more solicitous as to the number of pounds which their brides weigh than about the stock of accomplishments they possess.

A girl is put under the process of fattening when she is about twelve years of age. Her hands are tied behind her and she is seated on a carpet during so many hours every day, while her "papa" stands over her with a stick, and her mother, at times, pops into her mouth a ball of stiff maize porridge, kneaded up with grease and just large enough to be swallowed without the patient choking.

If the unfortunate girl declines to be stuffed she is compelled by torture, and gulps down the boluses, lest she should be fatten.



RULES FOR HOUSEHOLDERS

(U. S. Food Administration)

All kinds of food, especially wheat, meats, fats and sugar should be economically used.

No food shall be hoarded. Hoarding is the holding, contracting or arranging for food by any person in excess of his reasonable requirements for use or consumption by himself and dependents for a reasonable time. This does not refer to stocks of home-grown vegetables and home-canned or preserved fruits.

All householders who can entirely eliminate the use of wheat until the next harvest, about September 1, should do so.

Householders who are obliged to use wheat should not use more than a total of 1 1/2 pounds of wheat flour or prepared wheat, in any form, per person per week, including the wheat flour in Victory bread, and including the wheat flour or prepared wheat in crackers, pastry, macaroni, breakfast and other foods.

Victory bread is bread manufactured by bakers under the rules of the United States Food Administration. In estimating flour consumption 1 1/2 pounds of Victory bread may be considered equal to 1 pound of wheat flour.

In buying wheat flour an equal weight of other cereals as substitutes for wheat flour must be bought pound for pound. This is the 50-50 rule. In buying mixed flours, the substitutes in them may be counted, so that a smaller proportion of substitutes may be bought with these flours than with white flour. In buying graham and whole wheat flours (containing not less than 95 per cent of the entire wheat) 6/10 pounds of substitutes shall be purchased with every pound of such flours.

Wheat flour substitutes are hominy, corn grits, corn meal, corn flour, edible corn starch, barley flour, rolled oats, oatmeal, rice, rice flour, buckwheat flour, potato flour, sweet potato flour, soya bean flour, and feterita flour and meals.

Householders in towns and cities may not buy more than one-eighth of a barrel of flour or two pounds of sugar at any one time. Householders in the country may not buy more than one-fourth of a barrel of flour or five pounds of sugar at any one time. In no event shall any purchaser have more than 30 days' supply of either on hand.

Householders should not use more than 3/4 pounds of sugar per person per week.

In addition to the above, however, sugar may be used for home canning, and will be available to the householder for that purpose upon his signing a certificate that such sugar is desired and will be used only for that purpose.

No wheat flour, or prepared wheat in any form, should be used for any purpose other than human consumption. No wheat fit for human consumption should be used for other purposes.



HOUSEWIVES ARE EXPECTED TO USE FAIR PRICE LISTS AS MARKET "YARDSTICKS"

The Federal Food Administrators of the 48 states of the Union were unanimous in their approval of discarding the present system of regular monthly licensees' reports and in favoring a new system of price publication and inspection. Because of this decision at their conference recently in Washington, the public will be protected in the matter of prices by the price publications and the work of the price interpreting committees and price reporters.

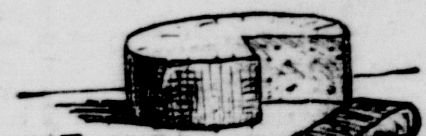
Administrator Peden has appointed 46 price interpreting committees over Texas, and many more are in the course of being organized. It is his hope to have a price interpreting committee within a radius of 75 miles of each other in all the well populated sections of the State.

The function of a price reporter is to visit the small and retail grocers, check up their costs and selling prices, mailing original report to Washington and duplicate to State headquarters. These prices are checked against the price interpreting lists governing the section in which they were assembled, and where differences exist the county administrator and the chairman of the price interpreting committee make an investigation and determine whether or not an adjustment may not be made without a hearing, and its subsequent penalization where guilt is established.

The interpreted prices of the fair price list are intended by the food administrator to be used by the housewives as guides for marketing, and the grocery establishments are expected to sell their commodities within the minimum and maximum prices recommended.

In many cases difference in quotations is justified, because the costs may call for an advanced figure. The merchant is sustained in operating on a cost plus basis.

CHEESE AT THE RIGHT PRICE



Because of the present good supply of cheese in the country and the prospect of continued abundant production this summer, those who know the food value of this dairy product and appreciate its appetizing flavor will be interested in the action the United States Food Administration has taken to facilitate its movement from the manufacturer to the table with as few delays and as small expense as possible.

Rules have been announced that will not permit dealers in American and Cheddar cheese to take advantage of advances in the market by selling cheese bought at a low price on the basis of higher costs that may prevail after the time of purchase. Commissions will not be allowed to enter into costs, reasonable margins have been fixed to prevent speculation and "dummy" sales have been prohibited. These and other regulations should make it possible for retailers to buy at lower prices, and, through the working of the fair price committees, the consumer should get a good food product at the cost of production plus only the reasonable charges for handling and a just margin of profit.

With the increasing demand for meat for our army and navy, and the request by the food administration for beefless days in hotels, restaurants and homes, the effort to stabilize the marketing of cheese comes at an opportune time. One of the best concentrated foods has a good chance to occupy a more prominent place on the menu as it already does in the allied countries.



After Measles Whooping Cough or Scarlet Fever

the extreme weakness often results in impaired hearing, weakened eyesight, bronchitis and other troubles, but if Scott's Emulsion is given promptly, it carries strength to the organs and creates rich blood to build up the depleted system. Children thrive on Scott's Emulsion. It is Free from Alcohol.

The Airhart-Bendele Lectures.

Dunlay, Texas, June 21, 1918.

Being, that Mr. J. S. Airhart Lecturer and organizer of the F. E. & C. U. of A., had made some arrangements previous to our date fixing, therefore the Airhart-Bendele lectures will be held at the following places on the dates and at the time as given:

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| Devine | July 3, 9 p. m. |
| Natalia | July 4, 9 p. m. |
| LaCoste | July 5, 9 p. m. |
| Castroville | July 6, 9 p. m. |
| Dunlay | July 7, 8 p. m. |
| Quihi | July 8, 9 p. m. |
| Hondo | July 9, 9 p. m. |
| Yancey | July 10, 9 p. m. |
| Leinweber Settlement | July 11, 9 p. m. |
| Sprott Settlement | July 12, 9 p. m. |
| D'Hanis | July 13, 2 p. m. |
| Biry | July 14, 3 p. m. |
| Black Creek | July 15, 9 p. m. |
| Riomedina | July 16, 9 p. m. |

S. H. SAATHOFF, Co. Sec. of Medina Co. Farmer's Union.

GIRLS! LEMON JUICE IS A SKIN WHITENER

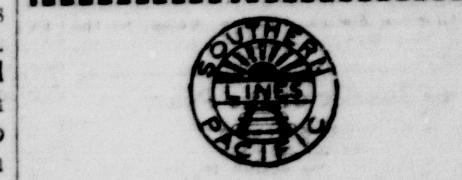
How to make a creamy beauty lotion for a few cents.

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.

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The management wishes to make the service meet the demands of the public. To that end it offers the co-operation of its several departments. The new rates, freight and passenger, will very likely create opportunity for such co-operation and the officials of the traffic department, at all points, will gladly render every assistance possible covering the application or interpretation of these rates that patrons be subjected to a minimum degree of delay or inconvenience in the handling or routing business over these lines or connections.

THE MANAGEMENT.

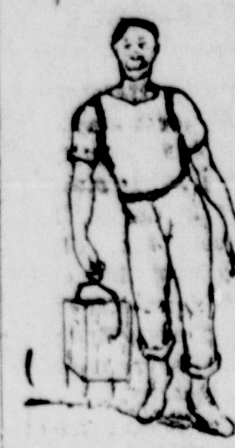
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ICE SHORTAGE IN HOUSTON CUTS DOWN SUPPLY TO NON-ESSENTIALS



Excessively hot weather and not a lack of supplies has made it necessary to conserve 100 tons of ice in Houston a day. Just how to meet the local situation and at the same time not cause the small consumer to suffer was a problem for the food administration and the ice dealers of Houston to decide.

The result of a conference on Monday afternoon at the office of Administrator Peden was the decision to cut the non-essential users of ice to 75 per cent of their normal consumption, including all users of ice above 200 pounds.

Soda fountains, soft drink stands, ice cream manufacturers and similar industries will feel the order rather sharply—many of them already in the throes of adjusting their business to the limited ration of sugar allotted them. It is expected that they will care for their reduced allotments of ice by eliminating the broken ice exposed to the air in troughs and on counters. The practice of shaving ice by restaurants, soda fountains and other such users the administration announces should be eliminated.

The public is requested to avoid delaying the ice man. Owing to a scarcity of help he is probably serving a larger route than ever before. Co-operation on the part of the householder will enable him to cover a greater territory, thereby minimizing meltage and at the same time release labor for other essential purposes.

"There is no need for hysterics," says Administrator Peden. "There is no danger of an actual famine in ice, but there is a serious need for the elimination of all waste and extravagance. If the public will co-operate by avoiding unnecessary waste in the use of ice there will be plenty to supply everybody."

The situation is a local and not a State one—all ice problems being settled locally. The action of the administration in the Houston instance may, however, be construed as a precedent for the State, and no doubt if the conditions were identical the application of the remedy would be identical.

CANNED GOODS FOR HOME USE.

Housewife's Preserves Can Not Be Accepted for Army or Navy.

Although the American housewife is urged to can every ounce of fruit or vegetables possible as a patriotic food conservation measure, her product must be reserved for civilian use. Home canned and preserved goods can not be purchased or accepted as gifts for the army or navy, the Missouri division of the food administration has announced.

Patriotic persons all over the country have been offering to organize workers in their vicinity to supply American soldiers and sailors with food prepared at home. While this spirit is appreciated and considered praiseworthy, the food administration believes it can be turned into channels that will do exactly as much for our armed forces and the allies as though it had provided them with millions of cans or jars of home-preserved food.

No government department is permitted to accept any article without paying for it. But even if home-canned goods could legally be bought, their purchase would be impossible, the food administration has pointed out, because of the difficulty acceptance of small lots would entail in the way of inspection. Supplies of this kind must be obtained in reasonably large units and must be uniform both as to ingredients and containers. With shipping space precious this uniformity is doubly important that the greatest possible quantity may be packed in a given space. Every additional million of jars filled by housewives for home use, however, release an equal quantity of commercially canned goods for export.

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FISH VS. MEAT

One Way of Doing What the English Call "To Carry On."



No Meat, Please.



Fish—Ah, Excellent!

The United States Food Administration has requested that householder under no circumstance, buy more than one and one-quarter pounds of beef weekly, or one and one-half pounds including the bone, per person the household. This reduced ration of meat calls for the use of substitute and one of the best substitutes for meat is fish. The administration wishes the public to increase the consumption of fish. Increased production will tend to bring about a readjustment of fish market conditions, and also build up an industry which has been painfully neglected.

The housewife will be interested in learning the following facts in regard fish:

- Is fish a "brain food"? No more so than other foods. Fish contains a high percentage of phosphorus, and when food values were first discussed this was credited "brain" food. Phosphorus is no more a brain builder than other substances of which the brain is composed.
- When is the best time to substitute fish for meat? In the spring and summer, when many varieties of fish are plentiful.
- Is fish cheaper in warm weather? Yes; particularly in localities near the source of supply.
- Which are more plentiful, the ocean or inland fish? Ocean fish. The growth of large cities on inland rivers has brought into existence many mills and factories which pollute the waters and drive away the fish.
- Which variety of fish furnishes the greatest food value? The oily varieties, such as salmon and mackerel.
- Where are these found in abundance? Salmon on the Pacific coast and mackerel on the Atlantic coast.
- Why should we have frozen fish? Because that makes it possible to have good fish in inland towns and cities.
- Is frozen fish good? Fish is frozen for market only when it is absolutely in good condition and people should not fear to use it.
- Should the fish be thawed out at the retailer's? No; as soon as the fish is thawed out it deteriorates rapidly.
- What should the housekeeper do? She should insist on getting the fish frozen at the retailer's, and keep it frozen until she wishes to use it.
- How is the best way to thaw it out? By placing it on ice in a pan in a cool place.
- How long does this process take? Several hours.
- Is there a quicker way to thaw it out? Yes; by putting it in cold water; never hot.
- Should the water it is thawed out in be used? By all means use the water if the fish is boiled; or use it for chowder. Some of the value of the fish goes into the water and is thus lost unless the water is made use of.
- What are the advantages of cold-storage fish? 1. It brings good fish into large cities. 2. It standardizes the price of fish. 3. It lowers the annual price of fish. 4. It makes the transportation and caring for fish possible and safe.

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